



The Ohio Commission on Minority Health Proudly Presents

The 2024 Virtual Statewide Minority Health Month Kickoff Ceremony "Achieving Equity in Birth Outcomes"

**Broadcast Virtually on Tuesday, March 26, 2024
9am-11:30 am EST**



Our Mistress of Ceremonies:

Ms. Tracy Townsend, Lead Anchor, WBNS 10TV News

Tracy Townsend is an American journalist and co-anchor of Wake-Up CBUS, she is also the station's Medical Correspondent and covers health issues affecting families.



Our Keynote Speaker:

**Franklin County Commissioner Erica Crawley
Former Ohio State Representative**

Commissioner Erica Crawley is a local and state leader who has advocated for equity in maternal health and birth outcomes with a focus on addressing structural barriers to achieving equity. She was a founding member of Ohio's Black Maternal Health Caucus.



Our Moderator:

**Tonni Oberly, PhD - Senior Policy Analyst
Health Policy Institute of Ohio**

Dr. Tonni Oberly is an experienced birth equity researcher and recognizes that achieving equity will require multisector collaboration.

Join us for a robust Panel Discussion on impacting Structural and Social Determinants of Health Barriers that lead to poor birth and maternal health outcomes and the policy strategies needed to achieve equity within Racial and Ethnic Communities in Ohio.

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